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Our Case No. 9623/656

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
William T. Gross)) Examiner: James S. McClellan) Group Art Unit No.: 3627)
Serial No.: 09/765,270	
Filing Date: January 18, 2001	
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RANKING ITEMS)

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is timely filed on December 8, 2005 in response to the non-final Office Action dated September 15, 2005. Applicant requests reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.